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Art Unit: **1617**  
Examiner: **G. Mitchell**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on July 28, 2005.

**REMARKS**

Summary

The Examiner has required, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 121, a restriction to one of the following inventions:

- I. Claims 1-7 drawn to a composition; or
- II. Claims 8-11 drawn to a method.

Applicants hereby elect the invention drawn to a composition, as set forth in claims 1-7.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to examine the elected claims 1-7, and to pass this